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HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
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WORLD BANK LOAN FOR TECHNICAL INSTITUTIONS
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) Whether the World Bank has decided to give loan to India toupgrade Indian Technical Institutions like Indian Institutes of Technology (IITs) and Regional Engineering Colleges (RECs) into world class institutions;

(b) Whether any agreement has been reached between the World Bank and the Government of India to this effect;

(c) if so, the details thereof ; and

(d) the institutions likely to be developed with the World Bank aid ?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT DR. MURLI MANOHAR JOSHI

(a) & (b): No, sir.

(c)& (d): Does not arise